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House of Representatives

The House met at noon and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. Brown of Maryland).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

Washington, DC, July 13, 2020.

I hereby appoint the Honorable Anthony G. Brown to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

 $\label{eq:Nancy Pelosi} \textbf{Nancy Pelosi}, \\ \textit{Speaker of the House of Representatives}.$

PRAYER

Reverend William Gurnee, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Lord of all hopefulness, we come before You today in this Chamber where democracy is respected and the voices of the American people are heard.

Grant the legislators who represent their constituents the gift of wisdom to craft laws that promote justice and bring us together as a people.

Keep us safe as a nation so in our prosperity, we may help other countries to flourish, for we are all Your children.

Finally, dear Lord, give to the Members of this body, the virtue of courage in difficult times, the virtue of charity in all times, and at the end of the day, the certain knowledge that they have served their country well.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution 967, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

LETTER SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 4(b) OF HOUSE RESOLUTION 965, 116TH CONGRESS

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COM-

MERCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, DC, July 10, 2020. Hon. NANCY PELOSI,

Speaker of the House, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR SPEAKER PELOSI: Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 965, we are writing to inform you that the Committee on Energy and Commerce has met the requirements for conducting a business meeting outlined in regulation E.1 of the remote committee proceedings regulations, inserted into the Congressional Record on May 15, 2020, and that the committee is prepared to conduct a remote meeting and permit remote participation.

In meeting these requirements, the committee held a non-public business meeting rehearsal on July 10, 2020; a public full committee hearing with remote participation on June 23, 2020; and a public remote subcommittee hearing on June 2, 2020.

Sincerely,

Frank Pallone, Jr., Chairman; Greg Walden, Ranking Member; Bobby L. Rush; Anna G. Eshoo; Eliot L. Engel; Mike Doyle; G.K. Butterfield; Kathy Castor; Jerry McNerney; Ben Ray Luján.

Yvette D. Clarke; Diana DeGette; Jan Schakowsky; Doris O. Matsui; John P. Sarbanes; Peter Welch; Paul D. Tonko; Dave Loebsack; Kurt Schrader; Tony Cárdenas; Scott H. Peters.

Marc A. Veasey; Robin Kelly; A. Donald McEachin; Darren Soto; Joseph P. Kennedy III; Raul Ruiz; Debbie Dingell; Ann M. Kuster; Nanette Diaz Barragán; Lisa Blunt Rochester; Tom O'Halleran.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 967, the House stands adjourned until noon on Thursday, July 16, 2020.

Thereupon (at 12 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Thursday, July 16, 2020, at noon.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4692. A letter from the Program Specialist, Chief Counsel's Office, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Margin and Capital Requirements for Covered Swap Entities [Docket No.: OCC-2019-0023] (RIN: 1557-AE69) received July 6, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4693. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Housing Finance Agency, transmitting the Agency's Major final rule — Margin and Capital Requirements for Covered Swap Entities (RIN: 2590-AB03) received July 7, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4694. A letter from the Chief, Regulatory Coordination Division, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Removal of 30-Day Processing Provision for Asylum Applicant-Related Form I-765 Employment Authorization Applications [CIS No.: 2617-18] [DHS Docket No.: USCIS-USCIS-2018-0001] (RIN: 1615-AC19) received July 7, 2020, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4695. A letter from the Chief, Regulatory Coordination Division, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Asylum Application, Interview, and Employment Authorization for Applicants [CIS No.: 2648-19] [DHS Docket No.: USCIS-USCIS-2019-0011] (RIN:

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